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	11	Nayar Saves the Caravan
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	25	Bush Trail
April	1	Pedro, Pablo, and Peppe
	8	Katrina's Long Walk
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The programs will again be given by Clarence and Marie Goodnight of the Biology Department of Purdue University. Order your teacher's manual by using the blank on page four.

January	30	What Is This Ecology?
February	6	The Rustle of Leaves!
	13	Little Waters
	20	An Inland Sea
	27	White Water and Rippling Shadows
March	5	Silver Waters
	12	Thirsty Land
	19	Ebb Tide
	26	Swelling Buds
April	2	Sand Piles
	9	The Compass Points North
	16	Hide and Seek
	23	Ecology and You

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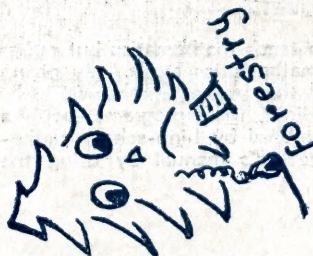
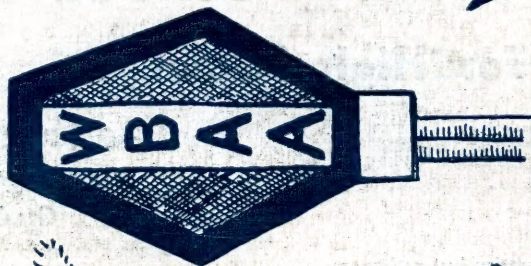
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Each program is a dramatic story in itself, the children in class being carried along as the story unfolds. Points are made about fires in the forest, the planting of new forests, and the conservation of wildlife. T. E. Shaw, associate professor of forestry at Purdue University, known as "Uncle Ted," as well as the charming children, Susan and David Star, are heard on the programs. Mrs. Sarah Haas Long continues to write "Your Indiana." The teacher's manual may be ordered by using the blank on page four.

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February	6	Guess My Name
	13	My Native Land
	20	Trees for Tomorrow
	27	The Strange Ones
March	5	It's Magic!
	12	Fun With Wood
	19	Meet Johnny Appleseed
	26	This Is a Tree
April	2	Babe in the Wood
	9	The Farmer in the Woods
	16	Timber, Limited
	23	Woodland Flowershop

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